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	<i>Filing Date</i>	March 23, 2001
	<i>First Named Inventor</i>	John A. ZAIA, et al.
	<i>Group Art Unit</i>	1648
	<i>Examiner Name</i>	Laurie A. Scheiner
	<i>Attorney Docket Number</i>	1954-333
<i>Title of the Invention:</i> PROTEIN KINASE DEFICIENT IMMUNOLOGICALLY ACTIVE CMVPP65 MUTANTS		


RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 3, 2002, Applicants elect the claims of Group I (claims 1-2) and respectfully request favorable consideration of the above-captioned application on the merits at this time.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,					
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